NATURE'S JEWELS (Cont'd)

We also borrowed another idea from the Sunset Chapter that they are going to use this year. You will just have to come and see what it is.

This year there will be an Artistic Arrangement section in the show too. If any of you are interested in exhibiting here please contact Mrs. Franklin Ireland, 1114 East Lake Parker Drive, Lakeland, Fla. She is the chairman of this section and doing a fine job.

See you all at the show.

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If ignorance is bliss why aren't more people happy?

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Many a man has found himself married because of a few ill chosen words.

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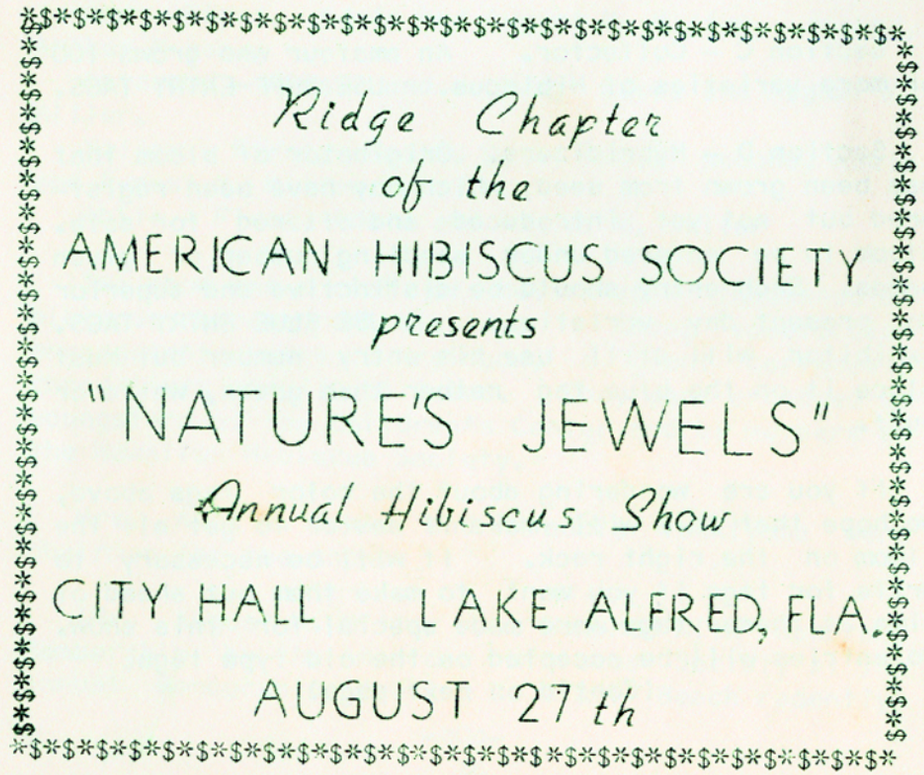

"DEBUT" - PUTNAM CHAPTER SHOW

The annual Hibiscus show of the Putnam Chapter of AHS, will be presented at the Civic Center in beautful Ravine Gardens in Palatka, September 24, 1961. The Chapter is honoring a famous "native son" for whom a new Hibiscus has been named. The specimen has been produced by that very splendid nurseryman, Chic Carver of Mt. Dora, and is to be named: "Capt. Roderick Middleton".

Captain Middleton is commander of the Destroyer Fleet, whose home base is Mayport, but is presently on patrol dutyoff the African Coast. Captain Middleton has received a Presidential Citation for his contribution in perfecting the Polaris Missle. This happens to be in our front line of defense now and is something that every American can feel proud to acclaim. It is expected that the place will not only be headquarters for beautiful Hibiscus that day, but will also be crawling with Navy Brass, which will probably be high-lighted by the Navy Band from Mayport.

Putnam Chapter will be host to judges and distinguished guests for luncheon, which, incidentally will be provided by Putnam Chapter and not a caterer. As a matter of courtesy to those attending from a distance, but not directly connected with the show, a luncheon will be available which will feature some of the famous dishes of the Chapter at their regular Covered Dish meetings each month. This should be an unusually attractive part of the show, if "good food in pleasant surroundings" is appealing. The complete luncheon will be $1.25

All persons are invited to enter bloom. The specimen should be in their peak condition in this area at this time. The welcome mat is out and all members are looking forward to greeting freinds, old and new, from many parts of the State. Come join Putnam in saying "Thank You" to Capt. Middleton, who is expected to be there in person. He has made a tremenduous contribution to the defense of our country. Many other notables will be on hand to see the lovely show and greet friends. Lovely flowers, a warm welcome and friends, old and new will be awaiting you. See you there!

- Mable White

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